NOTHING SEEMS TO BE ABLE TO STOP THE M'GRAWLESS GIANTS OTHER THAN WET GROUNDS

BASEBALL NOW BEING PLAYEDWITH DEUCES AND JOKER WILD, SO THAT IT'S ANYBODY'S RACE IN SCRAMBLE

By ROBERT W. MAXWELL

Sports Editor Evening Public Ledger TF ONE takes a good, long, strong and healthy look at the approaching games on the American and National League schedule, one will flop frightfully if an attempt is made to select a croocial series. They're all croocial with the curfew getting all warmed up to crab the act on October 3. In Johnson's league, the pennant is surrounded by three clubs, which for identification purposes will be called Cleveland, New York and Chicago. In the Heydler circuit there's a mob scene around the pole. Brooklyn, Cincinnati and New York getting their names

Therefore, it's a battle royal of baseball with the dences and joker wild. Somebody will cop in each league and have an opportunity of being tempted in the world's series. As for who it will be, that's something else again. In the mad scramble it's anybody's race.

Yesterday the clubs started to tour and see out-oftown ball parks. The western clubs in the American League traveled castward and the eastern teams in the National hopped rattlers for the West. Nothing could be fairer than that, although our Phils were idle with the Giants here, while a dual rehearsal will be played today. It will be interesting to look over the daily happenings with a critical eye for something might happen This is just a hint to refrain from looking out of the

With a big and important battle raging in the East, we naturally are all het up about it. Cleveland is in New York, Detroit in Boston, Chicago opens here with the A's tomorrow and the Browns are stacked against Washington.

Now for some figgers. What club has made the best thowing on the road? Which is the best home club? Gather closely and have a look.

Home cooking seems to agree with Ruth & Co., for the Yanks lead the league in percentage of successes on the home lot. They have won 38 and lost 19, which gives them a percentage of .667. Chicago is second and Cleve-

THIS, however, does not mean much, as the New York club plays but eighteen more games on the Polo Grounds. They will have to make hay while the sun shines, as they say at the club.

White Sox Best on the Road

ONCE upon a time Cleveland was the best road club. but that was once upon a time. Since the returns for last week have been counted, they flopped a couple of notches and now are roosting in third place. And strange as it may seem, the White Sox are the best traveling club! New York is second and therefore, according to the figgers, has as much chance as Chicago for the pennant. It's all in the way you figger it out.

Cleveland has been maintaining a dizzy pace all season and up to last week avoided the dreaded slump, then along came Ruth and everything was upset. The Indians lost four in a row and the losing habit was so strong that another was dropped to St. Looie before they

Slumps are the most feared thing in baseball. Ed Barrow, of the Red Sox, spilled a few words last week which bear repeating. "A slump," says Ed. "is something which makes its own rules. You can't dope it out or try to find the answer in Hoyle. It's likely to last a week, a month or a hundred years. And you must remember." he continued, "when you are in a slump, you are in a slump. Until you get out of it there's nothing

That's one answer for the skidding of the Spokemen. Another is Spoke himself.

Last winter when we were touring the training camps, an American Lengue manager became original and said the Cleveland club would not win the pen-

'Here is my dope," he explained. "Tris Speaker is likely to worry when the club runs into a slump, his hitting will fall off and when he flops, the whole club will flop with him. Playing on a league leading ball elub and managing it at the same time is the bardest

Tourney

City Yacht Club singles champlenship

and also taking the doubles champion-ship with Ralph Myers as his partner.

means dismayed when he last the first set. The playing was spectacular and

the opening round today with the start of the second round. The women's

singles will also commence today

Generally speaking, a golf champion knows the game, has a thor-ough knowledge of his clubs, like-

wise the peculiarities of the various

makes of balls. There is one devo-

tee, however, who says that when it

comes to having close intimacy with

the idiosyncrasics of the average

rubber core he has the club cham-

"How is it." remarked a friend.

" sighed the other; "it's be-

"that you know so much about the

various makes of balls? Is it be

sause you play them so well?"

ause I play them so badly."

pion beaten forty ways.

Can Defeat Champion

One Way Golf Novice

job in baseball. It's hard enough to manage one, and take my word for it. Speaker will slip sooner or later. Last week, the Indians played five games and lost Four were captured by the Yankees and one by the Browns. Five in a row will put an awful crimp in any club's pennant chances, but Cleveland managed to stick in the lead.

D'RING that journey down grade, Speaker's hitting went flooie. In the fire games he was at but twenty times and made two hits. That gave him a percentage of .100 for the week. One hundred per cent is regarded the height of efficiency in everything except baseball.

Crucial Week Ahead for Indians

BUT to return to the ball games of the present and future. The Indians at present are in a clinch with the Yanks and if they take it on the chin for a few more straight defeats, you might as well wipe Cleveland out of the picture. If the New York club can get their animals, it won't be long before the other six clubs do the same. It is make or break this week.

A critic who should know what he is talking about said the other day that he had seen every game played between Cleveland and New York this year and the Yanks didn't win one. The Indians went up in the air, he said. got stage fright and everything else and handed the game to Huggins on a platter. Perhaps this is true and perhaps, again, it isn't, but we shall see what we shall see.

In the meantime, the White Sox are rolling merrily along and winning ball games. Everybody says the Sox have the smartest ball club and have more aggressive. ness, but fear the players will slump or have a misunderstanding among themselves, or something like that. If everything is serene, the baseball sharps look for Chicago to cop. This trip will tell the tale.

Speaking of tales, we can't overlook our A's, who, as Jimmy Isaminger says, are only one-half-inch below the leaders. Connie's men play just as well on the road as at home, having less success than their rivals on any ball ground. At Shibe Park they have won seventeen and lost thirty-six. Abroad, it is eighteen and forty. Connie's chief hoodoo is Washington. His club hasn't won a game from the Senators at Shibe Park this year.

NOW we have doped the pennant race. You can prok pour own winner because we don't know

Eligibility of Net Tourney Stars

TUDGING from inquiries at the office of the United States Lawn Tennis Association, there is some uncertainty among tournament players as to entrance in the national singles championship which begins August 30 on the courts of the West Side Tennis Club at Forest Hills, Long Island. This is not fl closed tournament in any sense of the word, for the entry of all tennis players. of ability is desired.

The entrance qualifications were made very broad. By vote of the annual meeting it was decided that entry should be open to those who have been ranked within five years preceding the championship or who ever were ranked within the first twenty, to players who have been semifinalists or better in two sanctioned tournaments within three years, to players who have made a reasonably good record in three sanctioned tournaments during the current season and to those whose entry is acceptable by reason of "residence in foreign countries, promise of skill or other circumstances deemed sufficient to cause exceptions in their case.

Already in Big Show

Big league baseball scouts who are closely following the work of semipro athletes, probably sat up and took notice when they saw that a pitcher named Johnson shut out the Bruist Park team without a run or a hit last Sunday. Their efforts to sign Mr. Johnson might come to naught, however, for it is said that he is a big league pitcher who was taking exercise on an off day Copyright, 1920, by Public Ledger Co.

GALLIA CASE DELAYED

GERALD EMERSON ceedings Against Jumping Pitcher DEFEATS MILLER Before President Judge Barratt and Judge Stern, of Court of Common Plens No. 2, today, the hearing in the injunction proceedings started by the Philadelphia National League Baseball Club against Bert Gallia, pitcher, to East Orange Youth Triumphs restrain him from playing with the Franklin chib or any other organiza-Over Local Player in Shore

pretponed.

The question arose as to whether or nor the contract-jumping pitcher had been properly and legally served with Atlantic City, Aug. 17.—Playing in motice of the preliminary injunction in Franklin, Pa. It was the belief of Miller was the upset of the day of Miller was the upset of Miller was the belief of Miller was unable to overcome a Benton Harbor, Aug. 17.—

Champ's Tentative Program

Benton Harbor, Aug. 17.—

Benton Harbor, Aug. 18.—

New York, Aug. 17.—

Benton Harbor, Aug. 18.—

Sevice outside of the perliminary injunction in the six goal handleap in the game with A bout with Georges Carpentie and A b

tion except the Puillies, was indefinitely

Amateur Sports

Emerson transited because he was more experienced. A high wind pre-vailed. Miller fought pluckily against the metropolitan expert and was by no sington, has strengthened its line-up. THE Westmoreland Club, one of the sington, has strenghtened its line-up.

sington, has strenghtened its line-up.

Manager Jim Kennedy would like to
hear from Nativity, Christ Church,
Forty-eighth Ward, Paschall, Fralingers and other home teams of that caliers and other home teams of that calidiscrete James James

Against Delham 1 foul, 2 safeties, against
Point Judith 1 foul Referee—Captain Harry
Haimes, Time of game—Eight 7/2-minute the contestants carned applianse from hear from Nativity, Christ Church, a big gallery. Miller at times was off forty-eighth Ward, Paschall, Fraiing-on his service. It's opponent pinyed a ber offering fair inducements. James n his service. He opponent played a ber, offering fair inducements. James saltless game.

Richard Miers, of the Ocean City Kennedy, phone Diamond 7416 from acht Club, surprised when he beat 7:30 to 7 p. m. or Kensington 6396 Yacht Club, surprised when he heat 5:30 A. J. Cohen Woodford Courts Club, later.

A. J. Cohen Woodford Courts thus, of Philadelphin, in the opening round. Cohen won the Atlantic City open championship last season. Myers put gust 22–29. Sentember 11 and 18 open. W. Washington Come 122 Away first class: August 22–29. Sentember 11 and 18 open. W. Washer 533 Elast Walnut lane, German, out his opponent in straight sets with town.

Kensington A. C.—Away, first class; Sun-Kensington A. C.—Away, first class; Sun-Kensington D. Joe Hartley, 2984 Kensington Come. Kensington A. C.—Away: first class; Sun-its in August open. Joe Hartley, 2984 Ken-

One match remains to be played in iya in August open. nguon avenue Away. Erst class. August 22 Cooperville Away. Erst class. August 22 nd 28 apen. D. H. McCoy. 3365 North Sec. and 28 open 1) H McCoy 3365 North Second attree.

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Rershaw Ciub Away, first class August 21 and 22. Thomas Hill, Poplar 328 J.

Hile Ribbon A. C., of Collingdale—Away first class. Fred Lambert, 125 Walnut street. Golyn. Pa.

Norwood A. C.—Home: first class; Saturay and Sunday open. R. Kneller, 7807 ludiana Club—Away, first class; dates in intember open Joe Meiman, 2639 North

September open Joe Meiman, 2630 North
Thirty-first street
P. R. T. — Away first class: August 2:
and 22 open J. Whiteside Diamond 9033.
Woodland Tigers A. A. — Away; first class:
A. Rraxion, 3718 Mount Vernon street
Clifton Siars— Away or home, first class:
R. Lauris 1524 Tasker street.
Southeast All-Stars— Away; first class
John Valentine, 1610 South Seventeenth
Williams, Phila.

AMERICA

John Valentine. 1619 South Seventeeth Street.

A first besenne and outfielder would like to play with a first-class team. J. Dragonetti, 1511 South Sixteenth street.

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drews is auxious to stage them again. Another match which may be held in Milwaukee this fall is one between Phillies Postpone Injunction Pro-

With the respening of the Madison A. C., Friday might of this neek local fans will have the choire of four different ring pro-grams. The Election Street Arens, Cam-Point Judith Club Was Unable to Overcome Opponents'

The line up; POINT JUDITH
J. W. Converse
A. M. Collins
P. S. P. Randolph
R. Wanamaker

The Pinladelphia Independents formerly seen as the Ring Professionals, traveled

Hunting Nine Continues to Win Hunting Social defeated the Mervine A. C. store a growd of 3000 in a hard-fought

Five Leading Batters

BEATEN BY DENHAM Still after administering a severe drubbing to Johnny Ertle, at Baltimore, the other might. This sum represents 40 per cent of a \$5839 gate, \$1000 of which was guaranteed

Six-Goal Handicap

of Miller was the upset of the day

While Emerson, who plays No. 1 on Philadelphia club, accompanied by their the Columbia University team, is related phine club, accompanied by their garded as one of the best players in court, while Gallia and the Franklin played a streak game and overrode or college ranks. Miller was the favorite because of his wonderful record this season. The Penn Charter boy has restraining Gallia from pitching with been playing in dashing form at the shore, last week winning the Atlantic shore. Last week winning the Atlantic in 4 to 4 tie.

President Baker, Business Manager team work being lacking. Philip S. P. Randolph, Jr., the Point Judith back, played a streak game and overrode or topped the hall, yet at times he displayed remarkable speed, and had it not been for his clover blocking and heady defensive play the opposing team would have run up a much larger score.

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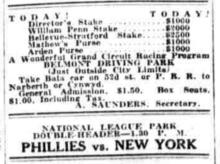
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sponsible for their victory. Dempsey and Clark played well on the defense, saving his team from two or three sure goals.

Independents Have Open Date

in Two Major Leagues

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LEW TENDLER AFTER 'REP'

Local Southpaw Matched for

Two Bouts-Meets Frankie

Britt August 26, and Frankie

MITCHELL ENCORES

By LOUIS H. JAFFE

T EW TENDLER says he isn't going

to worry about a little thing like

getting a chance at the world's light-weight title this season. There is all sorts of consolation in being kept busy and if "I can earn the rep of being the

busiest boxer during the senson of 1920-21. I'll be satisfied," as Lou said to-day. "Boxing often means a lot of

jack and I'm not going to pass up very many offers to work, you can bet."

The question of weight probably will keep Tendler and Champion Leonard

Tendler's manager, Phil Glassman, is now strutting around with contracts

calling for two matches by the local southpaw puncher. On August 26 Tendler is to go on in a ten-rounder with Frankie Britt, at Revere Beach. Mass., and in this same show Joe Tip-

litz, Lew's stablemate, will clash with

Harry Carlson also in a ten-rounder.

After his match with Britt, which

should be easy picking for the Phila-delphian, Tendler will keep in shape for a twelve-round contest to a referee's

In addition to these two bouts Tendler

BOUTS FOR DEMPSEY

Carpentier and Willard Included in

Carpentier is expected to arrive in the United States in October, and Kearns declared he hopes to have the Frenchman matched with Dempsey

Within three weeks after he arrives.

Willard, according to Kearns, went into secret training six months ago and already has asked Tex Rickard to promote a match that will give him an-

other chance at the fitle.

After his bout with Miske Dempsey's engagement will be with Gunboat Smith

at Boston on September 19. A bou with Bill Brennan at New York on Oc-

tober 12 is next on the champion's

RACING POPULAR

Mutuels Handle \$506,000 on Single

Day in Canada

Racing is proving to be more pen-ular than ever in Canada, after the halt due to the war, and Canadians are

backing their opinions of the merits of

various horses with large sums.

An index of the strength of racing in

An index of the strength of racing in the Dominion is afforded by the amount which passed through the mutuel ma-chines on the last day of the Hamilton meeting. The "rake" on that day was stated to be \$506,000.

Griffith Gets Two Pitchers Shreveport, I.a., Ang 17 —Pitchers Jos Besson and Gus Bone of the Shreveport sum of the Trans League, have been sold or the Washington Americans under an op-lonal agreement, it was announced today.

within three weeks after he arrives.

Billy Miske.

Tendler and Willie Jackson.

from meeting in the ring for all time.

Callahan Labor Day

OF 1920-21 'BUSIEST BOXER'

HUNDRED FROM A DOWN. TABLET TO PROF. SOME BODY AND OUT FRIEND . OR- OTHER THE INVENTOR OF SOMETHING USELESS

O'Brien and McAndrews

15-Round Bout Tonight

The fifteen-round bout between

oung Jack O'Brien and Eddie

McAndrews at West Manayunk will

be put on tonight. This contest

originally was scheduled at Carnival Field last night, but it was post-

poned by Promoters Pete Tyrell

and Tom Loughrey because of in-

clement weather. This contest will

mark the return appearance of

O'Brien to the ring, after a layoff

of several years. Two other matches

on the same card are: Danny Rod-

gers vs. Frankie McKeever, eight

rounds, and Sam Young vs. Danny

Billy McCann, Cleveland lightweight, is to come to Philly for bouts this fail, been matched with Joe Rivers at Angeles, four rounds, Friday night. Mccaiso is booked to meet Pai Moran at Orleans some time before Labor Day.

BENNY TO DEFEND TITLE

Champion May Meet Lew Tendler

East Germantown Downs Meteor

East Germantown downed Dutch Sam-ers a Meteor Club. 7 to L on the East ermantown grounds. Chief Warm, the Car-

2 Big

Grieves, six rounds.



- AND THE NEXT IS A CIRCULAR FROM SKINNER & CO OF WALL ST. RECOMMENDING

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OLYMPICS STARTED

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Were Foundation of Life and Empires of Ancient Greece and Rome

Olympic Games being held in Antwerp, Belgium, was originally scheduled for Berlin in 1916, but the war caused a postponement and a change to a more age. deserving locality. The original Olympic Games, which

days the Olympiads were the greatest bein and Hoz Island A. C. also will hold event in the world. They were the time and the result is failure foundation of the life and empires of A man might wait too long, but nine ancient Greece and Rome, and made mistakes out of ten are made the other Heury Hauber, of Fairmount, will take on Joe Augastie of Smoky Hollow, in the star sel-to at the Madison A. C. Friday night. Chier bouts: Jack Diamond vs. George Blackburn, Tommy Sharp vs. Jimmy Myson, the Shoemaker vs. Kid Williams and Matty Barrett vs. Johnny O'Neil. possible the triumph of Greece over

They were of paramount importance. solemnity which attended them, and especially by the fact that the Grecian Palsy Gorham is getting Andy You a heavyweight, in shape for competition this fall. You put in a strenuous training sea-sion at Pleasant Hill Park last Sunday. method of reckoning time was based upon them and their regular occurrence.

Started 776 B. C.

George Mack says that Bobby Michaels is in it fettle for his bout tonight at Bayonne. N. J. with Willie Davis. In another bout Jimme Kelly takes on George Ward. Both matches are scheduled for twelve rounds. The Greek idea was that the body of for a twelve-round contest to a referee a decision with Frankie Callahan, at Lawrence, Mass., Labor Day. This bout is being billed "for the 133-pound championship of the world."

A series of ring bouts are to be staged at the Cotombus, O., baseball park this summer. Battling Reddy, of New York, and Arite Root, of Cleveland, are to box on the night of September 6.

In addition to these two bouts Tendler has tentative tilts with Richie Mitchell and the latter's brother, Pinkey, at Milwaukee. Lew boxed both of the Mitchells this summer, each was a Mitchells this summer, each was a link has been admitted to the with Al Reich in Jersey City last night canceled he also has been informed by cable that his lost with Joe Beckett in London. Instand. September 24, is off. Dr. J. J. Shalet has Young Tom Sharker and Johnny Paxton training faithfully for their respective boots at Highbridge, N. J. the latter part of the roouth. the River Alpheus. On this plain was teen have come from the sacred grove, called Altis, supposed to have been laid out by Hercules, It was adorned with beautiful structures and works of art, altars, statues and monuments in great number, including the Temple of Zeus. This temple housed the most magnificent production of The match between Pete Herman and Roy Moore originally scheduled for Denver, has been transferred to Colorado Stoffins, and it will be put an iomorrow night.

Hellenie the chryselephantine statue of Zeus by Phidias.

The games were held at intervals—
usually every four years—and continued almost without interruption until A. D. 393. At first the games consisted of a single foot race, but gradually other events were added until the games greatly resembled our western field meets and lasted about five days.

Only free-born Greeks of good char-acter were allowed to compete. Every contestant had to undergo at least ten months' training.

The participants competed naked.
If the nation was at war a "sacreitruce" was declared to allow the attendance of the athletes and spectators. No women were allowed.

The only reward was a crown of wild

White Leonard is to receive a guarantee of \$50,000 has must next a forfeit of \$20,000 to guarantee that he will make the light-weight limit for the bout olive from the sacred grove of Altis, which, by the way, was regarded as the very maximum of human felicity. He who did not win the highest crown won Watt Made Graduate Manager nothing. New York, Aug 17.—Announcement was made by the Columbia University Athlete Association vesterday of the appointment of Robert W Watt, class of 1916, as graduate manager of athletics to succeed Lester (*Danlelson, 1915, whose resignation took effect July 31. The most celebrated athletes of all

the Olympiads are Theagenes of Thaaduate duate the Great one ender the took tered the lists, and Nero and Tiberius achieved victories at Olympia.

After 293 Olympiads the games were

discontinued because of the teachings of Christianity-strange as it may After a period of more than 1500

Germantown grounds. Chief Warm, the Car-links Indian School writer, outstitched Tommy Alben, having thirteen strikeouts nelding out two having two assists and two hits. Scattergood with two men on in the fifth, cleared the bases with a honer with the longest drive ever made on Godfrey Field. years the games were revived again in 1896 by the German Government, which

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TRIS SPEAKER HOLDS MORTGAGE ON THRONE Chance and Clarke Were Brilliant, but Cleveland

Leader Has Something on Both-Looks Like a Pennant for the East

a pennant winner it not only achieves lows from France, England and the United States would still be alive who the kale.

For this reason Tris Speaker is by all odds the most valuable ball player in the game today. Cleveland hasn't won the pennant yet, but the finger of fate is beginning to point directly to that result.

Speaker as a winning manager, the game's greatest outfielder and the

game's greatest outfielder and the game's leading batsman, rounds out a combination which lifts him far beyond all competition. The throne room belongs to him alone.

Other Manager Stars TOHN McGRAW and Connie Mack

collected most of their pennants from But there have been other managerial stars who operated from the firing line. The two best that we recall were Frank

Chance and Fred Clarke. Chance was a great first baseman and a fine hitter. Clarke was a brilliant outfielder and equally robust at the bat. They were a pair of birds of great But neither was as great a star in his position as Speaker is, and neither could range with Speaker into .400 byways of swat.

Therefore, if Speaker wins the pen-nant and leads the league at bat this season he reaches the highest point in all-around baseball efficiency that any IN DAYS OF HOMER season he reaches the highest point in all-around baseball efficiency that any player has ever known since the days of Cap Anson.

About Timing Again

COTTHERE is a moment," says Teddy I Pell, "when a tennis ball seems to stop in the air. That's the time to "When I am hitting well." remarked

The seventh revival of the famous

Olympic Games being held in Autwerp. to wait on the stroke, whether it be at baseball, golf or tennis.

This seems to be a restless, nervous There is always a tendency to hit too soon-to put the punch in before the time arrives.

Those who are in batting, swinging

are so celebrated in history, dair back or tennis play are rarely waiting on their shots. The desire to unil one runs from the brain to the nervous or to the muscular habitats ahead of

> Up to the West UNLESS the Dodgers and the Giants are stopped abruptly upon this last western trip the next National League

> pennant is coming East for the first tim in three years.
>
> The Cubs predominated in 1918 and the Reds in 1919. They were the only western clubs to win since the old Cubs turned the trick in 1910.
>
> Cleveland and Chicago are looking

men had a glory as well as the intellect and spirit. They realized that the vitality and strength of the individual body with Brooklyn and New York, still has ity and strength of the individual body with Brooklyn and New York, still native and strength a good chance to make the next world series an intersectional affair. So far have been sixteen world series was the base of the vitality and strength of the state. The empires of Greece and Rome lasted only as long as the characteristic flames—no longer.

Series an intersectional analy. So the characteristic flames and Rome lasted only as long as the played. Of these only four have brought the characteristic flames—no longer. The Olympic Games were first held in 776 B. C. The name comes from the site on which they were held—Olympia in Elis, not a city, but a small plain in the district of Pisatis, nearly surrounded by lofty hills and bounded on the south by the Pivas Alpheus. On this plain was teen have come from the West and eightfrom the West and eight.

By GRANTLAND RICE THE main object that a ball club has IF RUSSIA had been as keen to fight in view is to win pennants. For as I in 1916 as she seems to be in 1929, today are resting under "Killed-in-Ae tion"

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SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Philadelphia Club to Hold Annual **Events This Saturday**

The Philadelphia Swimming Club will stage its annual championship day next Saturday, in the Schuylkill river, opposite the clubhouse at Lafayette, Pa. The feature event will be the Middle Atlantic half-mile championship and the twenty-sixth annual 100-yard scratch race for the William P. Sackett trophy.

Both events will bring together all of the leading local swimmers, among whom will be Charlie Crownover, the

Girard College sensation, who is one the most promising youngsters in the city. He is training expressly for both events and looms up the favorite to his splendid showing here of late,

Hoyle May Coach Cornell Ithaea. N. Y.. Aug. 17—Cornell's athletic authorities will not immediately fill the great gap left in its coaching ranks by the death of Charles E. Courtney. The result doubtless will be that John Hoyle, assistant coach, who is now in charge at the boathouse, and who for many years has been Mr. Courtney's chief lieutenant in whinning Cornell crews into shape, will continue in charge during fall practice.



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